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Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Statement of
Reasons for Allowance dated January 12, 2006.

The Applicants agree with the Examiner's Statement of
Reasons for Allowance to the extent that the claims of the
present invention are patentable over the references in the
record. The Applicants expressly traverse the Examiner's
Statement of Reasons for Allowance to the extent that any comment
is intended or has the effect of limiting a claim scope,
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claim language, or is intended or has the effect of limiting a
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